

**CONGRESSIONAL  
SIDELIGHTS**

by  
Congressman William M. Colmer

HOUSE Document No. 34 is entitled "The Budget of the United States Government For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936." It is a volume of 871 pages or about the size of a Sears, Roebuck catalog—to use a comparison that will be familiar to all of us.

Its size is altogether in keeping with the budget itself. In round numbers it is \$8,520,000,000.00, it is by far the largest since war times. It is interesting to compare this figure with the expenditures for ten and twenty-five years ago. In 1925 the government spent only \$3,529,000,000.00 and in 1910 \$693,000,000.00. In other words we are spending ten times as much as we were twenty-five years ago.

It should, however, be pointed out that these are unusual times. We are waging a war on the depression, and a war-time budget is entirely justified if it pulls us out of the morass into which we have fallen. The president explained in his budget message that less than half of the amount is for regular purposes and the remainder is for recovery and relief.

We have become so accustomed to talking in big figures that no one so much as blinks an eye when the figures for the budget were announced. All had been prepared for it by the President's message on the second day of the session. After asserting "The Federal Government must and shall quit this business of relief. We must preserve not only the bodies of the unemployed but also their self-respect," President Roosevelt had outlined a program of public works to supplant the present dole system of relief, and all knew that called for money.

Under the new plan one and a half million of the five million now on the relief rolls will be returned to the care of the state and community. These constitute the so-called unemployed, the people who, before the depression, were cared for by local efforts and would have to be cared for if there were no depression.

The other three and a half million are to be employed on public works, and a fund of four billion dollars is included in the budget for this purpose. The money is to be spent on roads, reforestation, soil erosion, elimination of grade crossings, clearance of city slums, rural housing, and similar projects.

The change from the dole system to the public works system will not be abrupt. Sufficient funds have been set aside to run the F. E. R. A. until it can be liquidated in an orderly manner.

Some opposition is being voiced to turning over this huge sum to the President without knowing on what specific projects it is to be used, but it is mostly talk, and there is no possibility that the bill will fail to pass.

**COMMITTEES FOR  
CARNIVAL BALL TO  
MEET THIS THURSDAY**

Meeting Postponed From  
Last Tuesday on Account  
Of Snow and Extreme  
Cold

Meeting of chairmen and chairladies to have met at St. Joseph Gym Tuesday night of this week will meet Thursday evening of this week. On account of inclement weather it was necessary to postpone the original meeting.

It is understood all dukes and maids and others have been secured and the names and cash dues will be presented to the committee by Mrs. M. Juden, chairlady of the court committee.

Of course names of King and Queen are not revealed. On the contrary, this is a profound secret and will not be known until night of the ball, Thursday, February 28.

In the meantime interest in the event will accelerate until the date and time and many will attend the beautiful function of Carnival season which was such a marked success last year.

Committees are working overtime, according to reports, and there will be nothing lacking. Only better weather than the rainstorms of last season will be hoped for.

**L. & N. TO SEND OUT  
PERSONALLY-CONDUCTED  
ED MARDI GRAS TRAIN**

Will Reach New Orleans on  
Sunday Morning, Mar. 3—  
Starts From Cincinnati  
March 1.

A personally-conducted all-expense Mardi Gras tour is announced by the Louisville & Nashville Railroad in the January L. & N. Employees Magazine. The party will leave Cincinnati and Louisville on the New Orleans limited Friday night, March 1, and proceed to Pensacola, Fla. After a tour of that city and a dinner at the San Carlos Hotel they will

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## PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY BALL JANUARY 30

### DIRECTOR KENNA FAVORS HARDSURFACING COAST SHORT CUT IN HANCOCK

Agrees With Request from Chamber of Commerce to  
Temporary Hardsurface Short Cut Through Mississippi

### TO HONOR NATION'S CHIEF

Bay St. Louis' President's  
Ball Next Wednesday  
Night at Uncle  
Charlie's

I heartily agree with your suggestion and with the opinion of the group referred to in your letter. We have had the proposition up with the Bureau of Public Roads and are still hopeful that we can work out a satisfactory adjustment.

Very truly yours,  
MISSISSIPPI STATE HIGHWAY  
DEPARTMENT.

By E. D. Kenna, director

Mr. Cox's letter to the director of the highway department follows:

Gulfport, January 16, 1935

Mr. E. D. Kenna, Director  
Mississippi State Highway Commissioner, Jackson, Miss.

Dear Mr. Kenna: Our highway Committee met last week and made some recommendations to our Chamber of Commerce and the matter was

pooled with adjacent committees, as our committee in time may decide, to help our own infantile paralysis victims to win their battles, whereas 30 cents of every dollar will be turned over to the National Committee for delivery to the President to be presented by him to the President's Ball Commission for Infantile Paralysis Research, which he will create to widen research efforts, aimed at wiping out the disease itself, in an effort toward protecting our present and future generations against the dread menace.

There was a unanimous agreement to ask the state highway commission to hard surface the gravel road from Pearlington, where it connects with the road that is to be built by Louisiana on the short cut, to the Old Spanish Trail at Westonia. According to the measurements we took it is less than four miles. We believe that it would be to the interest of everyone concerned to hard surface this stretch for the time being and if this was done at once, it would serve the purpose very well for the Gulf Coast.

"When Louisiana finishes her short cut and you hard surface this four miles, it will make the distance to New Orleans about eighteen miles less than it is now and I think would satisfy the entire coast.

"We note the rather lengthy interview with you in the paper recently in which you said there were three routes contemplated on the short cut that goes through the marsh and swamp and that it would necessitate the removing of a great amount of yardage and would cause a long delay in finishing this short cut to New Orleans and we believe that the money saved by not doing that now and applying it on the north and south highway from Gulfport to Memphis, would greatly help our situation on Gulf Coast of Mississippi.

But, of course, it would not do to leave this four miles without some kind of hard surfacing on it. If you people could do that between now and the time of the heavy summer traffic, it would mean a great deal to us and the traveling public.

At any rate, the meeting Monday night unanimously adopted this and instructed me to write you concerning it.

"It was stressed at that meeting also that what we want most of all is a concrete ribbon from Gulfport to Memphis and we were happy to note that in the interview above mentioned, that you hoped this north and south road could be built in 1935. May we earnestly join in this hope."

Newly-elected officers of William J. Cleveland Post of the United Spanish War Veterans were installed in their new positions Tuesday evening. Past Commander C. M. Burgdahl was installing officer. Retiring commander Capt. J. W. Pears read a report of a successful year for the post under his administration. New officers are as follows:

Chas. Traub, Sr., Commander.

W. H. Patheal, Senior Vice Commander.

Geo. E. Schilling, Junior Vice Commander.

E. S. Drake, Adjutant and Quartermaster.

Edw. Jones, Officer of the Day Guard.

J. W. Pears, Chaplain.

C. M. Burgdahl, Patriotic Instructor and Historian.

A. E. Julian, J. A. Coward, J. W. Pears, Trustees.

### BODY OF ACCUSED FOUND FLOATING IN ROTEN BAYOU

Tillis Saucier, charged with  
Shooting Tony Shiffalo,  
At Kiln, Drowned

The body of Tillis Saucier, colored, who was arrested January 10 at Kiln by Sheriff Ed Kellar on a charge of shooting Tony Shiffalo from ambush and who escaped from the sheriff, was found early Sunday morning floating in Rotten Bayou near the Sam Banks home.

Saucier following the shooting was tracked by Jeff Fairley's bloodhounds from the scene of the shooting near Kiln and was arrested and turned over to the sheriff. He succeeded in escaping and was run about 8 miles by the dogs, the trail being lost at Rotten Bayou. Officers thought at the time that Saucier had drowned and yesterday the body was found floating.

An inquest was held, the verdict of the jury being that Saucier came to his death by drowning. He was buried near his home at Kiln.

Saucier was wounded by Saucier and carried to the King's Daughters Hospital, Bay St. Louis, where he was only a few days and up and out again, able to join the futile chase for the man accused of the shooting, captured and who had made his escape. Blood hounds led the posse to the banks of Rotten Bayou where the scent was lost and chase abandoned. Ten days later the body was found floating as hereinabove stated. It appears that Saucier either deliberately drowned in order to elude his pursuers, not knowing what extent he had shot Shiffalo or was accidentally drowned while crossing the stream in haste.

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home of the Mississippi Gulf Coast, originally built, it is said 56 years ago. But Mr. Levy had spent prodigiously and improved and beautified the place until its interior worth was far more than the insurance covered.

In the furnishings and belongings in the house at the time was a telescope that Mr. Levy owned, said to be valued at \$2500. He had the instrument here for the reason he could see and study the stars better from this position on the Gulf Coast.

Loss was covered by different policies in different companies to a total of \$10,000.

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## With The Movies And Film Folks

MISS Mae West, who received threatening letters sometime ago, remains under guard of two officers who remain on her seat all day.

Elliot Nugent is directing his father, J. C. Nugent, in a picture featuring Joe Morrison, Gracie Allen, George Burns and Dixie Lee.

Jim Clayworth insists that pants are for men, and refuses to wear slacks at the studio.

Of 18 directors regularly employed at the studio in Hollywood, only 21 have had stage experience.

Warner's version of "A Midsummer's Night Dream" will contain some changes from Shakespeare's version. James Cagney, who plays Bottom, will have a wife.

Rumor is that Wallace Beery will have the lead in "Death Valley," Scotty's amazing story of his fantastic life.

Universal is said to be apprehensive over "Night Life of the Gods," completed by Lowell Sherman some weeks before his death. It is feared that the picture will appeal only to mentalities in the higher brackets, which will mean a box office flop.

Katherine DeMille will play the leading role in her father's new production, "The Crusaders."

Herbert Marshall will make three pictures this year for Paramount, and one in 1936.

Roland Young has recently completed the role of Uriah Heep in G.W.'s film, "David Copperfield."

Will Rogers will be the leading figure in Fox's adaption of George Kelly's play, "The Torch Bearer."

Evelyn Laye and Lawton, recently married, have sailed to Europe for a belated wedding trip. Both are British.

Agents of the Department of Justice are investigating recent threats made to Marlene Dietrich and Colleen Moore.

Incidentally, Colleen Moore is building a famous "doll House" and plans to exhibit it on a world tour. The house is insured for \$425,000, and proceeds from the exhibition will be donated to orthopedic institutions in the United States.

Willie Tomas, four-year old Negro boy, has a four year contract starting at \$40 and ending at \$125 a week.

Tullio Carminati, who made a hit opposite Grace Moore in "One Night of Love" will have the lead opposite Mary Ellis, in her second film. His full name is Count Tullio Carminati di Brambilla.

Lillian Harvey has made pictures in English, French and German. She

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, A. Scafide and Frances A. Scafide executed a deed of trust dated the 22nd day of June, 1928, recorded in book 23, pages 400-01-02 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, conveying to George R. Rea, Trustee, for the purpose of securing an indebtedness owing by the said A. and Frances A. Scafide to THE PEOPLES BUILDING & LOANASSOCIATION of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, lands situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, described as follows, to-wit:

First: those lots in the fourth ward of the City of Bay St. Louis designated as Lots 156 (One Hundred Fifty Six), 157 (One Hundred Fifty Seven), 158 (One Hundred Fifty Eight) 166 (One Hundred Sixty), 195, (One Hundred Ninety Five), on an official map of said City made by E. S. Drake, C. E. filed in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of said Hancock County on May 1st, 1923.

Second: those lots in the rear of the fourth ward of the City of Bay St. Louis designated as Lots 7 (seven), 16 (sixteen), 25 (twenty five), 31 (thirty one), on the aforesaid official map of said City made by E. S. Drake, C. E. Said Lots 16 and 25 except the Old Spanish Trail.

And, whereas, the said George R. Rea has declined to act as Trustee, and the said homestead, under the power given it in said deed of trust has substituted the undersigned E. J. Gex, as substituted trustee, instead of the said George R. Rea, which substitution is recorded in Book 29, page 345, of the records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, and

Details having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and the said homestead having requested the undersigned substituted trustee to foreclose same for the purpose of paying said indebtedness and costs.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I will offer for sale and will sell said land at public auction in the highest bidder for cash before the front door of the Court House of said County, in the City of Bay St. Louis, within lawful hours on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1935, for the purpose of paying said indebtedness and costs.

This the 9th day of January, A. D. 1935.

E. J. GEX,  
Substituted Trustee.

## WAVELAND NEWS-NOTES

### MRS. MAUD BOURGEOIS.

Waveland, Miss.

M. R. and Mrs. Fred Nick of New Orleans and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nick of Bay St. Louis spent the day Sunday with the John Morris.

Mr. W. A. Mapp went to New Orleans with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Vinet.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Connell entertained a few friends Saturday night at a bridge game. Chocolate and delicious honey and raisin cake was served.

Mr. C. B. Mollere, Joe Mollere and Herman Mazurakis motored to Collins, Miss., on a business trip.

Mrs. Burg and Miss Adelaide are over for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Funk and Mr. Claude Bourgeois visited their sisters, Mrs. Alvin Marrero and Miss Agnes Bourgeois.

The Adam Russells have moved into their new home and all their friends wish them good luck.

Mrs. J. O. Farrar has come to visit Mrs. Ethel Schwartz for several days.

Mr. Robert Hubbard went to the city to see his wife who has been desperately ill. She is some better and will be home in a short while.

Miss Dolores Bourgeois went to New Orleans with the Gold J. Baseball Team where they played St. Joseph's Convent.

Mrs. B. C. Casanas entertained a house party the past week-end. Her sister Mrs. M. T. Woodward assisted her.

### WAVELAND SCHOOL HAS ANIMAL CIRCUS.

An animal circus came to Waveland School and the teachers treated their pupils to the afternoon show. The lion roared so much Sunday night, the old time folks said it was a sign of bad weather. Old Leo was right, and his owner remarked that he thought he was coming to the Sunny South but was snowed under. He had bad financial loss. We are sorry.

P. T. A. BRIDGE AND LOTTO PARTY SUCCESS.

On Wednesday night the Waveland P. T. A. gave a bridge and lotto party in the school auditorium. A large crowd attended. The members of the association wish to express their appreciation to everyone who helped to make the party a success.

### Gordon-Revel Tunes

The climax of the film comes after the big football game when Laney Ross realizes that he does not love Mary Brian after all, but his father's demure little secretary, played by Helen Mack. And Oakie and Miss Brian turn love-birds on their own account.

Melodies for "College Rhythm" were written by Gordon and Revel and include "Stay as Sweet as You Are," "Let's Give Three Cheers for Love" and "Take a Number From One to Ten."

### Every Second Counts

Binks—"I suppose you and your wife go out a great deal?"

Shanks—"No, we pay such a high rent for this place that we have to stay home all the time to get our money's worth."

### Law and Order

Prisoner—"There goes my hat! Shall I run after it?"

Policeman—"Yeah, and never come back! I should think not.

You stay right here and I'll run after it myself."

### A. & G. Theater

AMES & GASPARD, Props.

G. AMES, Mgr.

Thursday-Friday, Jan. 24-25.

ROGER PRYOR-RUSS COLUMBO & JUNE KNIGHT in "WAKE UP AND DREAM" And comedy.

Saturday, January 26.

WARNER BAXTER in "HELL IN THE HEAVENS" And comedy.

Sunday-Monday, 27-28.

JOE PENNER, LANNY ROSS, JACK OAKIE & HELEN MACK in "COLLEGE RHYTHM"

Fox News and Cartoon

Tuesday-Wed., 29-30.

EDMUND LOWE & RUTH ETTING and a big cast in "THE GIFT OF GAB" And shorts.

Thursday, Friday, Jan. 31, Feb. 1 "THE OUTCAST LADY"

Admission 10¢-25¢ Every Night

Show Starts at 5 O'clock Saturday and Sunday

Other Nights at 7 O'clock

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### ALL AMERICA TO UNITE HONORING THE PRESIDENT ON BIRTHDAY, JANUARY 30

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the nation on the same night at similar affairs.

With costumes designed to symbolize the theme, America will be presented from the Atlantic to the Pacific and the Lakes to the Rio Grande, Florida and California orange groves, Oregon apple orchards, Georgia peaches, the corn and wheat belts of the middlewest, cotton fields, tobacco, copper and iron, gold and silver and oil, will be among the nation's resources depicted.

### Colors Named

Silver and bluebird blue have been named as the official colors for the Waldorf Ball as well as for more than 5,600 others which will be held throughout the nation on the same night.

While these two great population centers are organizing to make their celebration unequalled in size, other communities from coast to coast vie for honors with elaborate plans. William Cross, governor of Connecticut, is chairman of the ball in Hartford, while in Columbus, O., the newly-elected Governor, Martin L. Davey, will hold his inaugural ball to honor the President and raise funds to fight infantile paralysis.

Scores of other governors and hundreds of mayors are actively interested in the affairs which will be given in their states and cities. National headquarters, through General Director Carl Byoir, reports that practically all official Washington will attend the affair in the Capital, which is under the chairmanship of Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson. It is anticipated that every state, local and national figure will be present at one or another of the affairs when they reach their climax with the President's address, which will be broadcast over the largest hook-up in radio history.

Unlike the national Birthday Ball for the President last year, proceeds from the 1935 affair will not go to the Warm Springs Foundation. Seventy cents of every dollar will be used by the community raising the money for rehabilitating local infantile paralysis victims. The remaining thirty percent will be given to President Roosevelt, who will turn it over to the President's Birthday Ball Commission for Infantile Paralysis Research, under the chairmanship of Col. Henry L. Doherty.

### In Bay St. Louis

Bay St. Louis, patriotic and humane too, will have its President's Ball on the birthday date of January 30—next Wednesday, at Uncle Charlie's Night Club. Admission 75 cents for gentlemen and 25 cents for ladies. The affair will be worthy of your presence.

### BOY SCOUT ACTIVITIES

By a Boy Scout

At a meeting held January 16, we had present Father Peter Quinn, of Vicksburg, who, by the way, is the director of the Boy Scouts of Mississippi. His brother, Father Quinn of Biloxi, formerly at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf; Father Moran, Father Gmelch and Mr. A. G. Favre of Bay St. Louis, as guests. Father Quinn of Vicksburg, spoke on Scouting and the Scout Convention in Washington, D. C., in August, 1935.

Father Quinn is taking a delegation of boys from various Catholic troops of Mississippi and said he would take a boy or two, who could afford the trip, with him from Troop 217.

We are thinking of forming a basketball team in the troop of the best players.

### TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Procurement Division, Public Works Branch, Washington, D. C. Sealed Bids in duplicate, will be publicly opened in this office at 1 p. m., February 7, 1935 for furnishing all labor and materials and performing all work for the construction of the U. S. P. O. at Bay St. Louis, Miss. Attention is directed to the executive Order No. 6646, dated March 14, 1934 and the special conditions of bidding set forth in the specification. Drawings and specifications not exceeding 3 sets may be obtained at this office in the discretion of the Assistant Director of Procurement, Public Works Branch, by any general contractor and provided a deposit of \$15 is made for each set to assure its prompt return. One set will be furnished builders' exchanges; chambers of commerce or other organizations who will guarantee to make them available for any sub-contractor or material firm interested and to quantity surveyors, provided a deposit of \$15 is made to assure its prompt return. Checks offered as deposits must be made payable to the order of the Treasurer of the U. S. Cash deposits will not be accepted. W. E. Reynolds, Assistant Director of Procurement, Public Works Branch.

NOTICE

In the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

No. 3710

In the matter of the Validation of \$16,000.00 (One Thousand Dollars) of Refunding Bonds of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, issued for the purpose of providing sufficient funds with which to pay and retire that certain bonded indebtedness of said City of the following issue and amount, to-wit: Bonds in the sum of \$1,000.00 being the outstanding bonds due on the 1st day of February, 1935, of that certain \$12,000.00 issue of said City dated February 1st, 1928, and designated as "PUBLIC SEPCIAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS," and there are not and will not be sufficient funds on hand with which to pay said bonds when they mature.

To the Taxpayers of the City of Bay St. Louis, of Hancock County, Mississippi.

NOTICE

In the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

No. 3709

In the matter of the Validation of \$3,000.00 (Three Thousand Dollars) of Refunding Bonds of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, issued for the purpose of providing funds with which to pay and retire that certain bonded indebtedness of said City of the following issue and amount, to-wit: Bonds in the sum of \$3,000.00 being the outstanding bonds due on the 1st day of February, 1935, of that certain \$30,000.00 issue of said City dated February 1st, 1927, and designated as "PUBLIC SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS," and there are not and will not be sufficient funds on hand with which to pay said bonds when they mature.

To the Taxpayers of the City of Bay St. Louis, of Hancock County, Mississippi.

NOTICE

In the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

No. 3708

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To the Taxpayers of the City of Bay St. Louis, of Hancock County, Mississippi.

NOTICE

In the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

No. 3707

In the matter of the Validation of \$3,000.00 (Three Thousand Dollars) of Refunding Bonds of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, issued for the purpose of providing funds with which to pay and retire that certain bonded indebtedness of said City of the following issue and amount, to-wit: Bonds in the sum of \$3,000.00 being the outstanding bonds due on the 1st day of February, 1935, of that certain \$30,000.00 issue of

Saturday January 26, 1935

Uncle Charlie's Nite Club

Bay St. Louis, Miss.

-- Presents --

Walter Blessy's 10 Piece Orchestra

Make Reservation

The Sea Coast Echo

City Echoes

## As To Admission To President's Ball For Next Wednesday Evening

—Mayor G. Y. Blaize is up and out again after quite a siege of illness. His honor has been the victim of a severe spell of cold and fever.

—Attorney W. J. Gex returned home Tuesday morning from a business trip to Washington, D. C., where he also fraternized with friends in both the Senate and House.

—Miss Edith Spotorno, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bartholomew Spotorno, formerly of this city, now residing in Memphis, will graduate today from the High School of that city with marked honors.

—Mrs. Edw. C. Carrere, president St. Stanislaus Parents' Club, announces a benefit card party will be given at the college on the afternoon of February 7th, to which the public is cordially invited to participate.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scharff had as their guests Wednesday afternoon friends of childhood days, Mr. and Mrs. Cohen, of Columbia, N. C., who motored down from New York City on a honeymoon trip.

—Noted from Bay St. Louis attending last rites for R. P. Hyams, Sr., at New Orleans Sunday afternoon, were Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Buckley, Mrs. M. Juden, Mrs. C. Jaubert Chadwick, Mrs. N. Dick.

—Mr. G. Y. Blaize, Jr., has returned home from King's Daughters Hospital, at Gulfport, where he successfully underwent a surgical operation and is able to be back at his place of business, the Quality Food Store, on South Beach Front.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnston, Saturday, January 19, at 2:30 A. M., weighing 12 pounds. Both mother and child are doing well. Mrs. Johnston, before her marriage, was a daughter of Mrs. Victor Carver.

—Dr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Evans have moved from their regulars' own domicile to their two-story dwelling nearby, formerly known as the Brando place. They have leased their own premises for the balance of the season to Sept. 1.

—Our own conclusion: That there are any number of people in Hancock county who could send an item of news about some of their friends or relatives that would interest many other people.

The Sea Coast Echo is always glad to receive communications from its readers, either about news matter or public matters of public events. However, our space is limited and writers should be as brief as possible and never forget to sign their names.

—An interesting bit of news comes from Dallas, Texas, to the effect that Mayor and Mrs. G. Y. Blaize, for the first time, became grandparents. A daughter, Catherine Naomi, weighing 6 1/2 pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blaize, who reside at Dallas, Texas, on Saturday, January 19. Mayor and Mrs. Blaize are exceedingly happy and their many friends here and elsewhere will hear of the good news with corresponding pleasure. Good wishes and congratulations to the young couple and baby.

**JANUARY**  
**CLEARANCE**  
**SALE!**

Ladies Coats, \$6.99	Silk Dresses \$2.99
Polly Ann Frocks .99c	One lot Dresses \$4.99
Ladies Hats 69c-99c	Silk Dresses \$1.99
Chiffon Hose .44c	Outing Gowns .44c
Knit Suits \$1.49	Ladies Oxford .99c
Children's Ankleis .15c	Silk Bloomers .44c
Suzette Frocks for spring \$1.99	Children's Shoes .99c-\$1.19
Suede Jackets .99c	Ladies' Winter Shoes \$1.59

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## ROBERT P. HYAMS, SR., BUSINESS LEADER AND PHILANTHROPIST DIES

## At New Orleans Home Was Local Summer Resident For Many Years—Aged 60.

Robert P. Hyams, 60 years old, 5414 St. Charles avenue, New Orleans business executive, philanthropist and civic leader, died at his home Saturday morning at 8:35 a. m., following an illness of several weeks. Mr. Hyams had passed the crisis of a severe illness of pneumonia and it was with thorough feeling of satisfaction to learn he was convalescent. However, his condition took a sudden turn and after a few days he died from Angina Pectoris.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. from his late residence with interment in Metairie cemetery.

Mr. Hyams is survived by his wife, the former Miss Laura Rollins of New Orleans; three children, Robert P. Hyams, Jr., Mrs. Lollie Hyams Janin, Mrs. S. Jaubert Fuchic, and one sister, Mrs. Nellis Hyams Cooper. Three grandchildren also survive.

Born in Shreveport, La., in 1874, Mr. Hyams came to New Orleans after the age of 14. He had attended a military school in his native city, but completed his education at the old Tulane High School. He started business as a clerk but soon organized the Robert P. Hyams Coal Company of which he was the president at the time of his death.

Other business enterprises of which Mr. Hyams was president were the Gulf Barge and Towing Company, Inc., the Republic Ice Company and the Arctic Pure Ice Company. Always active in charities and philanthropic work, Mr. Hyams was president of the Louisiana Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and president of the New Orleans Convalescent Home. He was a member of the advisory council for St. Anfa's home and a member of the Board of elders for the Westminster church.

Mr. Hyams was president of the New Orleans Depositors' Association Inc. Mr. Hyams preferred to assist the needy in his own private manner and a list of his charities was never made public. His philanthropic work extended beyond the city's limits.

Although Presbyterian, while residing here during the period between early spring and late fall, he worshipped at the First Methodist church, Bay St. Louis, and was an outstanding benefactor of that church. His contributions and gifts were many, but always without ostentation and according to his expressed desire, never made known.

Mr. Hyams was well known locally for his charities and other contributions to the public benefit. Personally he was likable and held in highest esteem by all who knew him.

He helped to found the old Presbyterian hospital, of which he was vice-president and treasurer until its dissolution in 1929.

He gave freely to needy causes and deserving individuals. He gave so secretly that not even members of his family know the total and distribution of his charities. He was a retiring man, avoiding the lime-light always sidestepping, publicity and running away—almost literally—from expressions of thanks.

Funeral Sunday afternoon was largely attended. Many friends from Bay St. Louis journeyed to New Orleans to be present at the last rites and to sympathize with the family.

## NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Due to low level of water in one of the city's reservoirs, Commissioner H. Brady Perkins asks that open faucets be closed and in order water may accumulate and the supply be not impaired. However, the tower and main reservoir are kept filled in case of fire emergency. If you must leave hydrants open, says Commissioner Perkins, do not let them wide open. Better, however, to close all faucets, especially since probability of further freeze is no more.

## CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to Sister Marie Celine of the Poor Claire.

## LAST RITES FOR MRS. B. R. ENGMAN AT NEW ORLEANS FRIDAY P. M.

## Rabbi Louis Binstock Conducts Ceremony—Interment at Hebrew Cemetery

Last rites for Mrs. B. R. Engman, wife of R. C. Engman, whose passing away was recorded in these columns last Friday morning, took place in New Orleans that same afternoon from the parlors of Tharp-Sontheimer Funeral Home.

Remains were shipped by train to that city Friday morning, accompanied by many friends and acquaintances of the family and at once taken to the funeral home, where friends of that city viewed the remains and attended the final ceremony that afternoon.

Rabbi Binstock, eminent representative of his church and one of New Orleans' leading citizens, beloved by all creeds, delivered the eulogy, paying deserved tribute to the well-known character of Mrs. Engman.

Rabbi Binstock's words were most fitting aside from the eloquence of this eminent churchman and speaker.

A large number of friends and others followed the funeral procession to the last place of consignment at Hebrew Rest cemetery, in Gentilly, where the resting place was marked with a wealth of flowers, silent but beautiful and eloquent expressions of love and sympathy. Flowers were not only in abundance but noted for variety and rare beauty.

Pall bearers at New Orleans were, David M. Davis, James Villars, Milton Gasper, Coburn Weston, Randolph Ladner.

In addition to the extraordinary number of floral offerings many telegraphic and other messages of sympathy and sorrow were received from many and varied points of the country. Mrs. Engman was widely known. Her friends were from all sections and the flash of the news of her passing away was cause for sadness. A most extraordinary woman, one who lived by the side of the road, who saw men and women come and go in the daily life, and shared with their joys and sorrows, ever conscious of the golden rule and lived her life in the most humane phase possible.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish by this method to express our thanks and appreciation to one and all who were with us during the illness and subsequent passing away of our beloved one. The countless ministrations, consideration and messages of condolence, flowers, etc., are manifestations of love and sincerity for which we are thankful and grateful.

## Gratefully acknowledged,

THE ENGMAN FAMILY

Bay St. Louis, Jan. 21, 1935.

## Change There

"I'm so thrilled, dear. It's tomorrow that Reginald will conduct you to the altar."

Muriel—"Yes, darling, and right there Reginald will stop being a conductor and start being a brakeman and porter."

## Live and Let Live

Downstairs—"Didn't you hear me pounding on the ceiling?"

Upstairs—"Oh, that's all right—we didn't mind we were making quite a lot of noise ourselves."

## Direct Action

Customer—"Can you give me some ideas for a gift for a wealthy old aunt who is awfully weak and can hardly walk?"

Clerk—"How about some floor wax?"

## St ROSE de LIMA'S HIGH SCHOOL PARTY

On January 20, Class '35 of St. Rose de Lima's High School gave a party in the school auditorium. Lucille Brown was made queen by selling the most votes.

## SALES WANTED

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write today. Rawleigh, Dept. MSA-10-SA, Memphis, Tenn. 1-11-26.

## POSITION WANTED

Single lady, with considerable office and business experience, versed in shorthand, book-keeping, etc., wishes a position in Bay St. Louis. Will work part or full time. Moderate salary expected. Address Miss Louise Armstrong, Bay St. Louis.

## FOR SALE OR RENT

One acre land, 3-room house, large store or land hall; outhouses, fruit trees, on Spanish Trail 3 1/2 miles from Bay. Store could be converted into residence. Apply Brown's Vineyard telephone 2102.

## Personal and General

## GAY MARDI GRAS PLANNED IN NEW ORLEANS FOR SEASON AT HAND.

**G**AY social New Orleans is busy in the whirl of festivity preceding its century-old celebration of Mardi Gras on March 5.

Carpenters, painters, and designers who have worked all year were busy putting the finishing touches on glittering floats which will dazzle spectators in carefree parades during the few days preceding Mardi Gras.

Debutantes have been rushing hither and thither to cocktail parties, dances, luncheons and dinners ever since the carnival season was ushered in January 5 with the ultra-exclusive Twelfth Night Ball (twelfth night after Christmas).

The ball of the Olympians January 19 ushered in a long list of formal balls, each with its own court. Mythology has supplied a host of names for them.

The final week before Mardi Gras will find the city in a frenzy of excitement. There will be balls every night. Oberon, Atlanteans, Krewe of Mystery, Knights of Momus, Krewe of Apollo, Mystic Club and Krewe of Proteus will be hosts. Festivities will be climaxed by the brilliant costume affairs of Rex (King of Carnivals) Comus and Druids carnival night.

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